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# NURSING NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS



## NATIONAL

### THE NURSES' ASSOCIATED ALUMNÆ OF THE UNITED STATES

TICKET of nominations for officers for 1911, to be voted upon at the annual meeting in Boston:

For president: Sarah E. Sly, Birmingham, Mich. Second nomination from the floor.

For first vice-president: Mrs. A. R. Colvin, St. Paul, Minn., May E. Loomis, Seattle, Wash.

For second vice-president: Margaret Dunlap, Philadelphia, Pa., Emma M. Nichols, Boston, Mass.

For secretary: Agnes G. Deans, Detroit, Mich., Georgia M. Nevins, Washington, D. C.

For treasurer: Mrs. C. V. Twiss, New York, N. Y. Second nomination from the floor.

For directors: Mary M. Riddle, Newton Lower Falls, Mass., Genevieve Cooke, Oakland, Cal., Ida F. Giles, Philadelphia, Pa., Mrs. Frederick Tice, Chicago, Ill.

### SUGGESTIONS FOR REORGANIZATION OF MEMBERSHIP IN THE ASSOCIATED ALUMNÆ BY THE COMMITTEE ON CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

THE COMMITTEE ON CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS has studied carefully the question of a reorganization of membership which will prevent duplication, yet give a chance for fair representation from all parts of the country. It presents the following suggestive outline for discussion by the societies previous to the annual meeting in Boston.

Membership may consist of 1, the charter and present permanent members; 2, state presidents, ex-officio; 3, delegates from county associations having individual membership.

Charter and permanent members to pay yearly dues, and to retain membership as long as these dues are paid. No new permanent members to be created. Each charter or permanent member to have one personal vote, and not to represent a county society as delegate.

States to pay dues for their presidents at the rate of \$5.00 a year for each state. The state presidents to constitute an advisory council to meet with the Executive Committee of the Associated Alumnae just before and just after the convention, to decide upon the form in which matters shall be presented to the association, and to confer as to the carrying out in the states of the plans formed by the national association. State presidents to have one vote each in open meeting of the convention, but no vote before or after, and no voice in the appointment of committees. No state president to act as delegate from a county society.

The county delegates to be at the rate of one to each hundred members, except where a society has less than one hundred when it shall have one delegate. Dues and votes to be in proportion to the number of delegates, as may be decided.

SARAH E. SLY, Chairman,  
KATHARINE DE WITT, R.N.,  
CLARA D. NOYES, R.N.

## NOTICE

SARAH E. SLY, secretary of the JOURNAL Company, and chairman of the reorganization committee of the Associated Alumnae, who has been spending the winter in Wilkesbarre, Pennsylvania, has returned to her home in Birmingham, Michigan. All mail should be addressed to her there until further notice.

## REQUEST FROM PENSION FUND COMMITTEE

INDIVIDUAL NURSES, or any organization of nurses, who have started or know of any benefit Pension Fund or Home for disabled or incapacitated nurses, in existence or being started anywhere in the United States, will be of great assistance to the National Committee on Pension Fund by communicating with the chairman, L. A. Giberson, R.N., 4501 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa. A meeting of the committee will be held in Boston at the time of the meetings of the Associated Alumnae.

## CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE ISABEL HAMPTON ROBB EDUCATIONAL FUND

Previously acknowledged .....	\$2522.25
Edith Mадiera .....	4.00
Pupils, St. Luke's Training School, South Bethlehem, Pa. ....	10.00
Nurses of Naval Hospital, Mare Island, Cal. ....	10.00
Alumnae Association, Homoeopathic Hospital, Rochester, N. Y. ....	25.00
Nancy E. Cadmus (applied on pledge for \$100) .....	20.00
Emily Mussen .....	1.00
Boston and Massachusetts General Hospital Training School Alumnae Association .....	100.00
Pupils, Vassar Brothers Hospital School for Nurses, Poughkeepsie, N. Y. ....	8.00
Mae L. Bates, R.N. ....	10.00
Georgia State Association of Graduate Nurses .....	50.00
Janet G. Grant .....	10.00
Nurses' Alumnae Association, St. Luke's Hospital, New Bedford, Mass. ....	63.00
Collected by Miss Maxwell:	
Mrs. Julia G. Lyle .....	100.00
M. L. C. ....	100.00
Miss A. Stolps .....	2.00
Pupils of Presbyterian Hospital Training School, New York .....	36.00
Bertha Eaton .....	10.00
A. D. Van Kirk .....	50.00
Lydia E. Anderson .....	50.00
Class of 1901, Illinois Training School for Nurses:	
Miss Jamieson .....	1.00
Mrs. Matter .....	1.00

Miss Foltz .....	\$1.00
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Mrs. Dietrich .....	2.00
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Miss Lawrence .....	1.00
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Miss Williamson .....	1.00
Miss Tovrea .....	1.00
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Mrs. McCready .....	1.00
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Mrs. McMillan .....	1.00
Miss N. G. Miller .....	1.00
Mrs. Hammer .....	1.00
Mrs. Price .....	3.00
E. V. R. ....	100.00
Pupils of St. Louis Training School for Nurses.....	10.00
Ida F. Giles, R.N. ....	5.00
Hahnemann Hospital Alumnae Association, Philadelphia, Pa. ....	10.00
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Total .....	\$3334.25

The committee would like to send a word of appreciation to each of these subscribers. Especially gratifying is the increasing number of contributions from pupil nurses, the women who by their interest and activity must help to perpetuate the memorial, as they will be the ones to profit from its advantages.

State associations are coming to the fore—the highest contribution thus far being from one such,—five hundred dollars (\$500.00); and this month is reported a class organization that sends one hundred and twenty-eight dollars (\$128.00). A very good beginning.

HELEN SCOTT HAY, R.N., Chairman,  
509 Honore Street, Chicago, Ill.

#### REPORT OF JOURNAL PURCHASE FUND TO MARCH 15, 1911

Previously acknowledged .....	\$250.85
Frances McLennon, Detroit, Mich. ....	.50

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\$251.35

## DISBURSEMENTS

February 15, two shares of stock purchased from Bellevue Hospital Training School Alumnae Association.....	\$200.00
Balance, March 15, 1911 .....	51.35
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The Nurses' Associated Alumnae of the United States now owns seventy-three shares of stock of the AMERICAN JOURNAL OF NURSING. Over \$300 in subscriptions pledged to the purchase fund at the last annual meeting, in New York, remain unpaid. It would be greatly appreciated if these pledges could be paid immediately, as the completion of the fund and the transfer of the ownership are among the most important items of unfinished business of the Association.

M. LOUISE TWISS, R.N., Treasurer,  
419 West 144th Street, New York City.

## CHANGES IN THE NURSE CORPS OF THE U. S. NAVY

**APPOINTMENTS:** Blanche M. Alexander, Long Island College Hospital, Brooklyn, N. Y., post-graduate, Long Island City Hospital, N. Y., February 15, 1911; Ruby M. Covert, Norfolk Protestant Hospital, Norfolk, Va., February 15, 1911; Katherine W. Patterson, Jefferson College Hospital, Philadelphia, Pa., February 23, 1911; Frida Krook, Queen Sophia's Home for the Sick, Stockholm, Sweden, post-graduate, Mercy Hospital, Denver, Colo., February 28, 1911; Frances McDonald, Hospital of the Good Shepherd, Syracuse, N. Y., March 1, 1911.

**PROMOTIONS:** Sara M. Cox, nurse, to acting chief nurse, U. S. Naval Hospital, Norfolk, Va., January 20, 1911; Margaret L. Haas, acting chief nurse, to chief nurse, U. S. Naval Hospital, Annapolis, Md., January 20, 1911; J. Beatrice Bowman, nurse, to chief nurse, U. S. Naval Hospital, Philadelphia, Pa., February 23, 1911.

**RESIGNATIONS:** Loretta McDonald, nurse, January 1, 1911; Rita Lord Scudder, nurse, January 31, 1911.

**TRANSFERS:** Ada M. Pendleton, nurse, from U. S. Naval Hospital, Annapolis, Md., to U. S. Naval Medical School Hospital, Washington, D. C., December 15, 1910; Margaret L. Haas, acting chief nurse, from U. S. Naval Medical School Hospital, Washington, D. C., to U. S. Naval Hospital, Annapolis, Md., as chief nurse, January 20, 1911; Clare L. De Ceu, chief nurse, from U. S. Naval Hospital, Annapolis, Md., to U. S. Naval Medical School Hospital, Washington, D. C., as chief nurse, January 22, 1911; Louise M. Pitz, nurse, from U. S. Naval Medical School Hospital, Washington, D. C., to U. S. Naval Hospital, Norfolk, Va., January 31, 1911; J. Beatrice Bowman, chief nurse, from U. S. Naval Hospital, New York, to U. S. Naval Hospital, Philadelphia, Pa., February 23, 1911; Elsie T. Patterson, nurse, and Anna A. Wayland, nurse, from U. S. Naval Medical School Hospital, Washington, D. C., to U. S. Naval Hospital, Norfolk, Va., February 24, 1911; Mary Palmer, nurse, and Julia H. Fisher, nurse, from U. S. Naval Hospital, Annapolis, Md., to U. S. Naval Hospital, Mare Island,

Cal., March 1, 1911; Mary T. O'Connell, nurse, from U. S. Naval Hospital, New York, to U. S. Naval Hospital, Mare Island, Cal., March 1, 1911; Antoinette Montferrand, nurse, from U. S. Naval Medical School Hospital, Washington, D. C., to U. S. Naval Hospital, New York, March 3, 1911.

LENAH S. HIGBEE,  
Superintendent Nurse Corps, U. S. N.

#### MAINE

**Portland.**—THE MAINE GENERAL HOSPITAL ALUMNÆ ASSOCIATION held a meeting on the evening of March 1, at the home of Alice M. Lord. In the absence of the president, Mabel Blanchard, the chair was filled by Edith Soule, superintendent of the Children's Hospital. Six nurses were elected to membership, and five new names were proposed. It was voted to adopt the form of legal paper requiring nurses who register to abide by the rules of the registry, a copy of the same to be spread on the records. A letter was read from a nurse who is ill in California, showing her grateful appreciation of a sick benefit received. A great desire is shown by the members for increasing more rapidly the sick benefit fund, and plans for doing so were discussed. The question of forming a nurses' club in the city was left to be discussed later. Refreshments were served. The next meeting will be held in the hospital class room on April 5.

#### VERMONT

**Brattleboro.**—MARY E. SHUMACHER, who was for a number of years superintendent of the Samaritan Hospital, Troy, N. Y., has accepted the position of superintendent of the Brattleboro Memorial Hospital. She succeeds Elsie P. McClosky, who has gone to the Philippine Islands to take charge of the Philippine General Hospital.

#### CONNECTICUT

**Hartford.**—HARTFORD HOSPITAL held commencement exercises for its thirty-second class of nurses and for the opening of the annex to the nurses' residence, on the evening of March 10, at the residence. The address of the evening was made by Dr. W. H. Smith, formerly superintendent of the hospital, then of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, and now of Johns Hopkins Hospital. The diplomas were presented to the 22 graduates by Dr. P. H. Ingalls. Two prizes in gold were awarded for first and second standing in theoretical and practical work, one presented by Dr. O. C. Smith, the other by the alumnae association of the school. They were given to Nellie Gates Brown and Helen Laura Horton. A reception followed the exercises when the beautiful new home was crowded with appreciative guests.

THE HARTFORD HOSPITAL ALUMNÆ ASSOCIATION held its February meeting on Valentine's Day, and was the occasion of a valentine party, with refreshments served by Miss Hannah Russell, the president. Miss Hollis was appointed secretary pro tem. The minutes of the last meeting were read and accepted. Five names were presented for membership. Alice H. McCormac, R.N., and Sarah Carroll, R.N., were appointed delegates to the Associated Alumnae meeting in Boston. Following the business meeting, Janet Campbell gave a carefully prepared paper on the "Life of Florence Nightingale." At the March meeting,

papers will be read on School Nursing, by Miss McCormac, of Hartford, and Julia Johnson, of New Britain.

**New Haven.**—THE CONNECTICUT TRAINING SCHOOL ALUMNÆ ASSOCIATION held a regular monthly meeting with Miss A. Barron, second vice-president, in the chair. The delegates to the Associated Alumnæ meeting in Boston were appointed: Mrs. Smith, first; Miss A. Barron, second; alternates: Margaret Stack, first; Miss Mulcahey, second. The secretary read a letter announcing the death of Mary Hammond, class of 1890, and was instructed to write a letter of condolence to Miss Hammond's relatives. After a lengthy discussion on the matter of assessments, the meeting adjourned to April 6, when the question of assessments will be brought up for discussion, and the discussion will form a precedent for future action along that line. Each member will do well to give this her thoughtful consideration. If unable to attend, she is asked to send her opinion in writing to the secretary, Mrs. I. Wilcox.

## NEW YORK

### QUESTIONS OF THE FIFTEENTH NURSES' EXAMINATION

*Medical Nursing and Nursing of Children* (Tuesday, January 31, 1911, 9.15 A.M. to 12.15 P.M., only).—1. Differentiate communicable disease, contagious disease, and infectious disease. 2. Mention the three stages of measles and give the approximate duration of each. 3. Mention a common complication of measles. 4. Describe the protective apparel that should be worn by the nurse when irrigating the throat of a diphtheria patient. 5. What is the normal temperature of an infant? 6. What is the appearance of the healthy movement of a child that is taking no nourishment but milk? 7. At what age do children usually begin to cut their teeth? 8. Mention *two* symptoms that may indicate teething. 9. What nursing measure may be employed for the relief of nervous headache? 10. Under what conditions are nutritive enemas ordered? 11. Describe the appearance of hemorrhage from the lungs and state immediate nursing care. 12. Mention *three* methods of applying heat locally. 13. Mention *two* symptoms that differentiate an epileptic seizure and a hysteric attack. 14. State the nursing care of a child in convulsions caused by disturbance in the gastro-intestinal tract. 15. Mention *two* important nursing points in caring for a patient afflicted with heart disease.

*Anatomy and Physiology* (Tuesday, January 31, 1911, 9.15 A.M. to 12.15 P.M., only).—1. What is the chemical composition of bone? 2. Name and locate the bones of the lower extremity. 3. What is fibrinogen? 4. Mention *three* conditions that hasten coagulation of the blood. 5. Mention *three* conditions that retard coagulation of the blood. 6. How are the distant parts of the body connected with the brain and spinal cord? 7. What changes in the external air result from breathing? 8. Give in cubic feet a fair allowance of air space per person. 9. What are the lacteals? 10. How far down does the spinal cord extend? 11. Name the four divisions of the permanent teeth. 12. Name the four coats of the stomach. 13. Name the three solid foodstuffs. 14. Define (a) atrophy, (b) climacteric, (c) diffusion. 15. Define (a) diastole, (b) systole.

*Obstetric Nursing* (For Female Nurses) (Wednesday, February 1, 1911, 9.15 A.M. to 12.15 P.M., only).—1. Mention the most common presentation of the fetus. 2. What presentations of the fetus may there be other than

that called for in question 1? 3. When during labor should the nurse prepare (a) the bed, (b) the patient? 4. What articles would you have in readiness for the physician's use? 5. What articles are most important to have in readiness for the care of the newborn infant? 6. Define *each* of the following: occiput, Wharton's jelly, craniotomy, synphiotomy, parturition, viable. 7. When would you give a newborn infant his first tub bath? 8. At what temperature would you have the bath for a newborn infant? 9. How would you sterilize sheets, towels, and dressings in a private house? 10. What is the nurse's first care of the newborn infant? 11. If the nurse is to guard the uterus during the third stage what points should she observe? 12. What precautions should the nurse take to prevent trouble with the breasts? 13. How often in 24 hours would you put the infant to the breast? 14. How many dejections should the infant have in 24 hours? 15. State the color and the character of the dejecta after the meconium has been expelled.

*Materia Medica* (Wednesday, February 1, 1911, 9.15 A.M. to 12.15 P.M., only).—1. What are the names of the weights used in the apothecaries' table? 2. Classify the following drugs: bichloride of mercury, sweet spirit of niter, croton oil, digitalis, caffeine. 3. Name *three* drugs that cause death in a few minutes. 4. Define expectorant. 5. Name *two* expectorants. Give the use or uses, action and dose of each expectorant named. 6. Define digestant. 7. Assume that you are ordered to give gr.  $\frac{1}{16}$  of strychnia to a child (q. 3 h.) and that you have tablet gr.  $\frac{1}{30}$ ; how many doses have you and how would you divide the quantity accurately? 8. Give the action and the use of pepsin. 9. Define rubefacient. 10. Name *three* rubefacients. 11. Give the action, use and dose of nux vomica. 12. Define tonic. Name *three* tonics. 13. Name *three* drugs of animal origin and give their uses. 14. Define antiseptic. 15. Name *three* antiseptics commonly used.

*Diet Cooking* (Thursday, February 2, 1911, 9.15 A.M. to 12.15 P.M., only).—1. Why should the nurse have a working knowledge of dietetics? 2. Classify the food principles as (a) organic or inorganic, (b) nitrogenous or non-nitrogenous. 3. Explain why carbohydrates alone are not sufficient for a dietary. 4. Name the digestive ferments and give their functions. 5. Describe in detail the proper care of milk from the time it is drawn till it is used. 6. Compare the advantages and the disadvantages of sterilized milk with those of pasteurized milk. 7. Trace the digestion of a glass of milk. 8. State why it is important for a convalescent typhoid patient to resume solid food gradually. 9. What diet would you give to an anæmic patient, if the matter were left to your discretion? 10. What is the effect of heat on (a) starch, (b) albumen? 11. What is cellulose and what is its value? 12. What is the disadvantage of boiled water and how may this disadvantage be overcome? 13. Give *four* points to be considered in the preparation of an invalid's tray. 14. Give concisely the ingredients and the method of preparation of (a) beef tea, (b) oatmeal gruel. 15. Why is it best to surround the cups with cold water when putting custards in to bake?

*Bacteriology and Surgery* (Thursday, February 2, 1911, 9.15 A.M. to 12.15 P.M., only).—1. Why are surgical dressings, when sterilized with steam *not under pressure*, steamed more than once? 2. What means are used to control hemorrhage? 3. What are the advantages of fumigating with formaldehyde gas. 4. Give *four* points about which one should be careful in removing a dressing from a wound. 5. Why should a dressing be reinforced as soon as discharge



comes through? 6. Why is it necessary to keep the operating room warm during an operation? 7. Define hypodermoclysis. For what purposes is hypodermoclysis used? 8. Mention *four* dangers for which a nurse should watch after a patient has been operated on. 9. How should an operating room be dusted? How should the tiled floor of an operating room be cared for between operations? 10. For what is the sponge nurse held responsible during an operation? 11. Define amputation, fracture, hernia, micro-organism, traumatic. 12. What precautions should be taken in removing the clothing of a person who is badly burned? Why? 13. Give the nursing treatment of a patient suffering from shock caused by hemorrhage. 14. Give *four* points to be remembered in connection with placing a patient on the operating table. 15. Give a method of cleansing and sterilizing rubber gloves for immediate use.

**New York.**—THE NEW YORK COUNTY SOCIETY will hold a meeting at the Central Nurses' Club, 54 East 34th Street, on Tuesday, April 4, at 8 P.M.

THE MANHATTAN AND BRONX ASSOCIATION will hold a regular meeting at the Central Nurses' Club, 54 East 34th Street, on April 10, at 4.30 P.M.

THE CENTRAL CLUB FOR NURSES has a French class conducted by Madame Stillman on Thursday evenings. Mrs. Martha Foote Crowe will conclude her delightful course on The Bible as Literature by giving, on April 2, at 7 P.M., "The Book of Job With its Dramatic and Epic Elements"; April 9, "Poetic Imagery in the Gospels"; April 16, "The Life of Jesus as Treated in Literature." On February 20 the graduates of the German Hospital gave a reception to the retiring and the new superintendents of the training school, Miss Charlotte Ehrlicher and Miss Schultz. On April 27, St. Luke's Alumnae will give a birthday party at the club. Each guest will be supplied with a bag made from the uniform material and will be invited to be as generous as he or she may wish.

THE ALUMNÆ ASSOCIATION OF BELLEVUE TRAINING SCHOOL FOR NURSES on the opening of the new Club House, Osborne Hall, 426 East 26th Street, will hold a fair and bazaar on the afternoons and evenings of April 5 and 6, from 2 until 10 P.M. It is the aim of the nurses to raise a fund for the maintenance of the Club House, the use of which was so generously given them, and they ask such co-operation in funds and gifts as will make the bazaar the starting point of a permanent fund for this need.

The Nurses' Registry will be transferred to Osborn Hall which will be of service to all doctors, and such of them as attend the hospitals and dispensaries in the neighborhood will be glad to know that the restaurant there is available for them.

THE NEW YORK HOSPITAL ALUMNÆ ASSOCIATION held a meeting on February 9 at the Nurses' Home. It was decided to give \$200 to the Isabel Hampton Robb Educational Fund. After the business meeting there was a musicale and social hour. Florence Wright has resigned her position with the Italian Hospital to fill one at Wanamaker's. Amy Holmes has resigned her position of superintendent of the Mills Training School.

ST. LUKE'S HOSPITAL ALUMNÆ ASSOCIATION held a special meeting at the hospital on January 24 to act upon matters in connection with the endowed room. It was decided to pay \$3,000 for further endowment of the room. On the evening of February 7 the annual reception to the senior class was given in the Home. A minstrel entertainment was given, followed by a dance. Virginia Chetwood, who has taken a course in philanthropy, is engaged in

sociological work at Bellevue. Beginning on March 1, the innovation of a nurse anesthetist was introduced into the operating room system. Dr. Luke has instructed Miss Keller, class of 1910, for the position.

THE POST-GRADUATE HOSPITAL is giving a six months' course in the giving of anesthesia to the graduates of its own school. This was started in November, 1910. Besides giving the theory and practice of anesthesia, under the instruction of a special anesthetist, the course includes: anatomy and physiology of the heart and respiratory organs, urine analysis and intubation and tracheotomy. Pupils have the opportunity of watching cases on the wards after operation, thus being able to observe the results of the various methods of administering anesthetics. The object of the course was, primarily, to supply experienced anesthetists for its own operating rooms, but has been broadened to take in a larger number, enabling nurses to train there, and take positions as anesthetists in other institutions. The course has proven most successful, the surgeons are beginning to realize the benefit of having a regular trained anesthetist, whose whole interest is centered upon the patient, relieving them of a great deal of anxiety as to the condition of the patient during the operation.

PUBLIC HEALTH LECTURES. The valuable series given at the Academy of Medicine will be concluded on April 5, at 8.15 P.M., with a paper on "The Piers, Out-door Hospitals, and Summer Homes," by Jane E. Robbins, M.D., and one upon "Ventilation of Schools and Hospitals," by John Winters Brannan, M.D.

ST. FRANCIS HOSPITAL has just opened a new four-story building to be used for housing the staff of the hospital.

SLOANE HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN (its new name) has opened a new pavilion for the treatment of gynecological cases.

THE NEW YORK DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH has added infantile paralysis to the list of communicable diseases and requires that cases be reported within 24 hours after recognition.

THE NATIONAL ACADEMY OF DESIGN will have its annual exhibition on view at the Fine Arts Gallery until April 16. The annual exhibition of the Water Color Society will be at the same place from April 27 to May 21.

**Brooklyn.**—THE KINGS COUNTY GRADUATE NURSES' ASSOCIATION held its annual meeting on February 16 at the County Medical Building. Reports of the secretary and treasurer were most encouraging, especially the financial condition of the association. The report of the Credential Committee showed a large increase in individual membership. Much of this interest is due to the excellent work of the chairman, Elizabeth Tuttle. It is regretted that she cannot serve on the committee another year, as she has entered the course in social service at Teachers College. The society discussed the advisability of changing the constitution and by-laws, and it was voted that the usual notice of such intention be given at an early date. A communication from the Brooklyn Juvenile Probation Association, requesting an audience for the presentation of its work, was presented by Miss Kenny. A committee composed of Miss Parry, chairman, and the secretaries from the other societies, was appointed to make arrangements for this occasion. Three members were appointed on the Red Cross standing committee, Miss Pond (Memorial), Miss Kenny, and Miss Kurtz. The Memorial Alumnae Association invited the society to be its guests some afternoon in May, which invitation was accepted. The nominating committee's

report showed the following elections for the ensuing year: president, Martha Parry, R.N. (Memorial); vice-presidents, Miss Whitely, R.N. (Brooklyn), Anna Davids, R.N. (Long Island), Miss Wall, R.N. (St. Mary's); recording secretary, Miss Horrocks, R.N. (German); corresponding secretary, Mrs. Alberta R. Hinrichsen, R.N., Shore Road and 83d Street, Brooklyn; treasurer, Dorothea MacDonald, R.N. (St. Mary's).

THE BROOKLYN HOSPITAL TRAINING SCHOOL ALUMNÆ ASSOCIATION gave a Valentine Tea at the Club House on the 14th of February which was enjoyed by a goodly number. The house was prettily decorated with spring flowers and the refreshments were dainty and appetizing. Twenty-five dollars was raised toward the Isabel Hampton Robb Educational Fund. The weather was rather unpleasant and prevented many from being present.

THE SENEY JOURNAL for March gives reports of the meetings of the alumnae association of the Methodist Episcopal Hospital for the four months previous. The association is to be incorporated, and is revising its constitution. Money is being raised for an endowment fund. Ida M. Hall, class of 1902, has accepted the position of night supervisor of the German Hospital, Brooklyn. Elizabeth Tuttle is taking a course in social service work at Columbia University. Alice Ranney, class of 1896, has resigned her position as nurse in charge of social service work at Lakeside Hospital, Cleveland, and is caring for a sister in Colorado.

**Rochester.**—THE MONROE COUNTY REGISTERED NURSES' ASSOCIATION held its February meeting at the home of the president, Sophia F. Palmer. Mrs. Linsay told of the Metropolitan Life visiting nurse work; Mrs. Hixon, of the problems of the school nurse; and Miss D'Olier, of her new work in maintaining good health for mothers and their babies.

HAHNEMANN HOSPITAL TRAINING SCHOOL has forty-five nurses in training and will graduate a class of fifteen in the spring. Miss Currier, of Alkana, Michigan, has been appointed surgical nurse; Miss Fisher, of Grand Rapids, night superintendent. The nurses' home is soon to be enlarged.

#### PENNSYLVANIA

**Philadelphia.**—JANE A. DELANO, R.N., Superintendent of the Army Nurse Corps, spoke before the local Superintendents' Society on March 13, and addressed nurses in general on the 14th.

**Pittsburgh.**—THE SOUTH SIDE HOSPITAL held commencement exercises for the class of 1911 on the evening of March 14, in the South Side Presbyterian Church. Addresses were given by Professor John A. Brashear and Isabel McIsaac. The diplomas were presented by Dr. H. E. McGuire. There were six graduates. A reception followed the exercises, in the hospital.

THE VISITING NURSES of the city have formed a Visiting Nurses' Association with the hope of having the city districted and a visiting nurse placed in each district. The movement seems to meet with the approval of all progressive societies employing nurses, and the nurses are now busy finding ways and means of raising funds to employ more nurses to take charge of districts not covered at present.

#### DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

THE GRADUATE NURSES' ASSOCIATION has appointed Binnie F. Calvert as registrar of the directory. On February 14, the members were addressed by

Jane A. Delano, R.N., who spoke on her trip to the Philippines. On February 28, Dr. T. C. Martin lectured on "Nursing in Proctologic Cases."

**Washington.**—LUCRETIA S. SMART has accepted the position of superintendent of nurses at the National Homœopathic Hospital. Miss Smart has been for several years in charge of the Relief Station of the Boston City Hospital, and had previously held positions as superintendent of Provident Hospital, Chicago; superintendent of nurses, Minnequa Hospital, Boulder, Colo.; and assistant superintendent of nurses, Rochester City Hospital, Rochester, N. Y.

M. A. WALSH, R.N., is working in connection with the Juvenile Court.

#### VIRGINIA

**Alexandria.**—NAOMI A. SIMMONS, former superintendent of Virginia Hospital, Richmond, now superintendent of Alexandria Hospital, has obtained six months' leave of absence from her duties, and sailed March 8 for a European tour, to return in September. Helen Johns, of Washington, a graduate of Alexandria Hospital, will have charge of that institution until Miss Simmons returns.

THE ANTI-TUBERCULOSIS LEAGUE has arranged to put a visiting nurse in the field. Sarah Shotts, class of 1910, Alexandria Hospital, has accepted the position and will begin her work on May 1, after taking a special course in nurses' settlement work at Washington, D. C.

#### GEORGIA

THE STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF NURSES FOR GEORGIA will hold examinations for registration on April 17, 18, and 19, in Atlanta and in Savannah. All applications must be filed with the secretary 15 days in advance of the first date.

EMILY R. DENDY, R.N., Secretary,  
822 Greene Street, Augusta, Ga.

THE GEORGIA STATE ASSOCIATION OF GRADUATE NURSES will hold its annual meeting in Macon, April 20 and 21, 1911.

ANNA BRUNDAGE, R.N.,  
Corresponding Secretary.

#### OHIO

**Cleveland.**—THE ST. CLAIR HOSPITAL ALUMNÆ ASSOCIATION held a banquet at the Colonial Hotel, on the evening of February 11, in honor of a class of nurses just graduated from the school. A sumptuous repast and some interesting toasts made the evening a most enjoyable one.

**Cincinnati.**—THE JEWISH HOSPITAL ALUMNÆ ASSOCIATION held its regular monthly meeting on March 3 at the hospital, with a slim attendance. The treasurer's report in regard to the sick benefit fund proved very satisfactory. The president appointed Elsie Tyrwhitt and E. Dooley on the nominating committee. Ernestine Mielziner read interesting accounts written by two graduates in other cities,—Hannah Buchanan, attending Columbia University, New York City, and Mrs. A. Keeble, Hamilton, Canada. The reading of Mrs. B. Cochnower's articles concluded an excellent programme.

## MICHIGAN

THE MICHIGAN STATE BOARD OF REGISTRATION OF NURSES will hold a meeting April 28 and 29, 1911, Capitol Building, Lansing, Michigan, for the purpose of examining non-graduate applicants and of passing upon the applications of graduate applicants.

Very truly yours,

F. W. SHUMWAY,  
Secretary.

THE MICHIGAN STATE NURSES' ASSOCIATION will hold its seventh annual meeting in Jackson, Michigan, May 3, 4 and 5, 1911.

FANTINE PEMBERTON, R.N.,  
Corresponding Secretary.

**Ann Arbor.**—THE WASHTENAW COUNTY GRADUATE NURSES' ASSOCIATION held a special meeting at the club rooms on March 10. New members were admitted, and the Red Cross committee selected for the approval of the state committee. The registry connected with the club rooms has been in existence since October 1, 1910. It is in charge of a graduate nurse, Antoinette Light, and the report of its work is highly satisfactory.

## WISCONSIN

THE WISCONSIN ASSOCIATION OF GRADUATE NURSES held a meeting March 7, 1911, at 2.30 p.m., in the Athenæum, Milwaukee. There were thirty-two members present. The meeting was called to order by the president, Miss Kelly. Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

On account of being out of the state, N. Elizabeth Casey tendered her resignation as member of the Board of Directors of the Association. It was moved by Miss Kluckow and seconded by Miss Dineen that the vacancy caused by Miss Casey's resignation be filled by the Board of Directors. Motion carried. Stella S. Mathews, chairman of the Legislative Committee, presented the following report:

"At the close of the last meeting of this association, February 7, a Bill 189-A, relating to registration for nurses, which had been introduced in the State Assembly, was given to the president by a member from Madison. The president then called a meeting of the Board of Directors for the consideration of this bill, and to decide what action to take, if any. As the hour was late, the meeting adjourned to meet at eight o'clock. These facts were contained in the secretary's report, but it may be advantageous to call your attention to them again. You know that the introduction of a bill relating to registration for nurses was rather a surprise to us all. We were flattering ourselves that we had plenty of time and would send a representative through the state to educate the nurses and doctors. The tables are turned and we are being educated. What proficiency we attain in this process of education will be another story. At this meeting of the Board of Directors on the 7th, it was decided to retain counsel, and Mr. Black was chosen for our legal advisor. The president was empowered to appoint committees whenever she might deem it necessary. The laws of different states, in our possession, were carefully considered, and the Illinois law was considered the one that would most nearly meet our needs. It was suggested that a bill similar to the Illinois law be drawn up and presented, as a substitute for bill 189-A, to the Com-

mittee on Public Health and Sanitation, to which committee 189-A had been referred. The meeting then adjourned. February 8, Miss Kelly, Mrs. Bradshaw, and I consulted with Mr. Black, going over with him Bill 189-A and the Illinois law. Mr. Black advised us to become familiar with the personnel of the Committee on Public Health & Sanitation; then to ask the chairman to give us a hearing, and to send as representatives before the committee, nurses representing different branches of nursing; say, superintendent of general hospital, superintendent of visiting nurses' association, superintendent private hospital, and private duty nurse. Also to get whatever letters or literature we could, favoring registration of nurses, from other states. The matter of a hearing before the committee was left for Mr. Black to attend to. On Friday, February 9, it was suggested by friends of the nurses that it would be a good time to offer a resolution in favor of the proposed substitute bill, before the Milwaukee County Medical Society for their endorsement. This resolution was drawn up, presented to the society, and, after some warm discussion, was referred to the Committee on Legislation. On Monday, the 13th, the chairman of the Milwaukee County Medical Society, Dr. McMahon, desired to meet with a committee from our association. Miss Kelly had appointed a working legislative committee, consisting of Miss Kelly (as president), Miss Tompkins, now Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Bradshaw, Miss Maher, Miss Haswell, with myself as chairman. This committee, with the exception of Miss Tompkins, Miss Maher and Miss Haswell, met at 12.15 on the 13th, in Room 512 Goldsmith Building, with Drs. Patek, J. J. McGovern, Myers, and McMahon. Bill 189-A and the Illinois law were again discussed, all agreeing that 189-A was a very feeble bill; the doctors opposing a separate board of Examiners, and suggesting that a board be appointed by the State Board of Health or State Board of Medical Examiners, said board to be composed of doctors and nurses. Nothing much was gained at this meeting, but the chair volunteered to write Dr. Youmans, chairman Committee on Public Health and Sanitation of the Assembly, asking for a hearing before bill 189-A was considered. No more work was done that week other than clerical work until Saturday when a letter was received from Mr. Black. Late that afternoon Mr. Black was asked to draft a bill which we would offer to the committee as a substitute, providing we could not get Mr. Hansen or the nurses who were instrumental in having Mr. Hansen introduce Bill 189-A, to offer it. This bill differs slightly from the Illinois law. Mr. Black had a number of copies of this substitute bill made and sent me at 512 Goldsmith Building. These copies were shown to several members of the medical profession, and, with the exception of the clause asking for a separate board, they all agreed that it was a much better bill than 189-A. During some of our telephone conversations, Miss Kelly said she had been advised that we had better have legal advice with us when appearing before the committee at Madison. So Mr. Black was asked to go, and agreed to be there by one o'clock March 1. On the 28th of February, the committee appointed by Miss Kelly, with the exception of Mrs. Davis, who will not be with us for some time, but whose best wishes we surely have, and Miss Maher, left on the 5.05 train from the Chicago, Milwaukee, and St. Paul station for Madison. We were met there by Miss Haswell, the other member of the committee. On the morning of March 1, at 8 A.M., Miss Kelly, who deserves great credit for her work, met some of the assemblymen to whom she had

letters, was taken up to the State Capitol into the House of Representatives, where we met her in half an hour, talking to various members of the legislative body. The men were all most courteous, and assured us of their support, but all doubted the advisability of our asking for a separate board. We met Mr. Black and went up to Room 322 where the hearing was to be. Dr. Youmans, chairman of Committee on Public Health and Sanitation, called the meeting to order and asked for any remarks in favor of bill 189-A. Friends of the bill who had been present were compelled to retire for the purpose of registering. So as not to waste time, objections to the bill were called for. Miss Kelly in behalf of the State Nurses' Association presented the substitute, as it had not been possible to have Mr. Hansen do so. Miss Kelly was followed by Mr. Black who, in a most convincing manner, compared the bills, showing the weakness of bill 189-A, and the strength of the bill we desire to have substituted. Mr. Hansen, father of the bill 189-A, and some other of its friends, were then heard, and the committee, after telling us we should have another hearing, went into executive session. Most of the members of the committee talked with us after the hearing and assured us of their interest and promised to do what they could for us. The letter of Mr. Black brings the work of this committee up to date."

After the reading of the above report, discussions took place. The chair requested the members to offer their suggestions regarding the Board of Examiners for the bill. In the event the legislature denies a separate board, the nurses would be placed either under the Board of Public Health and Sanitation or the State Board of Medical Examiners. The entire matter being such a surprise to the meeting, few were able to express their preferences, and no definite conclusion could be arrived at; however, the sentiment of the meeting was strongly in favor of the Board of Medical Examiners. The education programme for the April meeting will be on Nurses' Ethics, and for the May meeting, on Almshouse Nursing. On motion, meeting adjourned,

REGINE WHITE, Secretary.

#### MINNESOTA

**St. Paul.**—RAMSAY COUNTY GRADUATE NURSES' ASSOCIATION held its regular monthly meeting at the nurses' home with the president in the chair. The credential committee reported three new members. Fourteen members answered to the roll call. Bertha Johnson, superintendent of Red Wing Hospital, was a guest. The question box contained several items of interest which were freely discussed. Refreshments were served before adjournment.

**Minneapolis.**—THE HENNEPIN COUNTY REGISTERED NURSES' ASSOCIATION held its regular monthly meeting at the club house on March 8, with a good attendance. After the business meeting, Miss Rankiellour entertained the nurses at her home.

#### ILLINOIS

**Chicago.**—THE ILLINOIS TRAINING SCHOOL ALUMNÆ ASSOCIATION, at its February meeting, had a paper on "The Amusement of Convalescents," by Sarah E. Peck. Lisle Freligh, class of 1905, has resigned her position as superintendent of the Calumet and Hecla Hospital, Calumet, Mich.

MICHAEL REESE ALUMNÆ ASSOCIATION met with the Hahnemann nurses early in March to hear a talk by Dr. Caroline Hedger on "Social Hygiene." Miss Jackson has accepted the position of head nurse of the children's ward of the hospital. Miss Holdam is night superintendent of the German Hospital. Miss Borchert has resigned her position in Omaha and is in Chicago.

#### INDIANA

THE INDIANA STATE BOARD OF NURSE EXAMINERS will hold examination for applicants for registration, May 17, 18, 1911. Apply to Edna Humphrey, R.N., secretary, Crawfordsville, Ind.

DR. ROBERT W. LONG AND WIFE of Indianapolis have given to the state the sum of \$200,000 to be used in founding a state hospital, on condition that it be built and maintained by the state, located in Indianapolis, placed under the control of the State University School of Medicine, and known as the Robert W. Long Hospital. The object of this gift is threefold: to give to the worthy poor of the state the opportunity to receive the best of medical and surgical care at small cost; to give the doctors throughout the state a place to take their patients; and to give the medical students the advantages to be gained from such a hospital. The state has accepted the gift, and a site will soon be selected. A number have been offered, but that on the south side of Military Park, facing the canal, seems to be the most favored.

#### KENTUCKY

Louisville.—THE JOHN N. NORTON MEMORIAL INFIRMARY ALUMNÆ ASSOCIATION entertained the graduating class of 1911 with a valentine party at the nurses' home on February 14. The house was beautifully decorated for the occasion, the valentine idea being carried out in the decorations, favors, and refreshments. Music added to the general air of festivity. The afternoon was thoroughly enjoyed and will be remembered with much pleasure by all who were present. The association held its regular monthly meeting on February 16 at the nurses' home. It was well attended, and a number of visitors were present. After the transaction of business, the graduating class of 1911, consisting of ten members, was elected as a class to membership. A paper entitled "A Call to the Country" was read by Miss Brunson. It proved very interesting and was applauded heartily. A social hour followed, with refreshments.

#### MISSOURI

Kansas City.—THE KANSAS CITY GRADUATE NURSES' ASSOCIATION held its annual meeting on February 1 in the Y.M.C.A. Building. During the year forty members have left the city to take up work in smaller cities and towns where nurses were urgently needed. Seven members have married, one resigned, and one died. Seventy-one new members have been admitted, making the present membership 216. The following officers were elected: president, C. E. Seely, R.N.; vice-presidents, J. E. Burns, R.N., A. M. Casey, R.N.; secretary, Mena Shipley, R.N.; treasurer, M. E. Murray, R.N.; registrar, Mrs. D. Whitmer, R.N.; chairmen, Harriet Leck, R.N., Mrs. R. F. Carter, R.N.; members of registry board, Isabel Brandon, R.N., Agnes Glaab, R.N., Jessie Baldwin, R.N.



**THE UNIVERSITY NURSES' ALUMNÆ ASSOCIATION**, on February 21, elected the following officers for the ensuing year: president, Cora Baylis; vice-presidents, Jennie Honaker, Clementine Cherry; recording secretary, Myrtle Nash; corresponding secretary, Eva Roseberry, 1208 Wyandotte Street; treasurer, Anna Belle Adams.

**Hannibal.**—**LEVERING HOSPITAL** nurses were addressed by the inter-state secretary on March 6. Miss McIsaac touched on all the subjects of vital importance to the nursing profession, and spoke at length on the importance of registration and the wonderful advancement made in the nursing organizations in the past few years. She is a very delightful speaker and her address was greatly appreciated.

**St. Louis.**—**THE ST. LOUIS TRAINING SCHOOL** graduated seven nurses on February 22.

#### COLORADO

**THE COLORADO STATE BOARD OF NURSE EXAMINERS** will meet to examine applicants for registration, at the State Capitol, Denver, on April 26, 27, 28, 1911. For further information, address Mary B. Eyre, secretary, 1942 Pennsylvania Ave., Denver, Colo.

(N.B.—The abbreviation "Colo." is preferred to "Col.," as the latter is sometimes confused with "Cal.")

#### OKLAHOMA

**THE OKLAHOMA STATE BOARD FOR EXAMINATION AND REGISTRATION OF NURSES** held a meeting in Oklahoma City on December 29. Officers for the ensuing year are: president, Mrs. Margie Morrison, R.N., Guthrie; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Margaret H. Walters, R.N., Muskogee, re-elected. Forty state certificates were signed and many plans in the interests of the nurses of the state were made for the coming year.

**Tulsa.**—**THE TULSA HOSPITAL TRAINING SCHOOL** graduated one nurse at the Boston Avenue Methodist Church. The graduating address was given by Dr. Fred S. Clinton and the diploma presented by Dr. C. L. Reeder. The hospital has grown from fifteen to forty patients and the school has ten nurses.

#### TEXAS

**THE BOARD OF NURSE EXAMINERS FOR THE STATE OF TEXAS** will hold its next regular meeting in Waco, April 21 and 22, 1911.

C. L. SHACKFORD, R.N., Secretary.

#### WASHINGTON

**Seattle.**—**THE KING COUNTY GRADUATE NURSES' ASSOCIATION** held its regular meeting on February 6, in Assembly Hall, Henry Building, the president in the chair. Mrs. Hawley read the report of the Federation of Women's Clubs, which told of interesting subjects taken up, and of the handkerchief shower proposed for the building fund. The treasurer's report was read and approved. Mrs. Edith Hickey, chairman of the social committee, asked for suggestions. A general discussion followed as to some form of entertainment to be given at a near date. The final decision was left to the committee. The registrar's report

followed and showed an increase in the number of calls over the previous month. A report of the building board was read which recommended that the association should not plan to build a club house at present, but that it should consider it in the near future. It was also asked that the committee be considered disbanded. At a previous board meeting it was recommended that Article II, Section 2, of the By-Laws be amended. The amendment, prepared by Miss Major, was read, to be voted on at the March meeting. The nurses of the Anti-tuberculosis League gave three interesting papers, in which they combined the practical with comedy and tragedy. The papers were heartily enjoyed by those present. Mrs. Irene Farrell was elected to fill a vacancy on the board. Isabelle Marr was appointed one of the Public Health Committee. Alice Kershaw was elected assistant secretary. Mrs. Davies invited the members to attend a social to be given by St. Barnabas Guild. A committee was appointed to draft resolutions of regret on the death of Miss Curry, of Tacoma, who had been secretary of the Pierce County Association.

The March meeting was held on March 6, in the same place, the president presiding, with thirty-two members present. Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. The monthly reports of the treasurer and registrar were read and accepted, also a letter of thanks from the Commercial Club of Seattle for the contribution of the nurses to the Chinese Relief Fund. Mrs. Edith Hickey reported the reception held on February 22, in the reception rooms of the Hotel Kennedy, to welcome new members. Mr. B. W. Johnson gave an interesting talk on his trip through the British Isles and his observations on school work on the continent. The nurses were urged to take an active interest in the first annual ball and card party to be given by the association at Christensen's Hall, April 23, for the nurses' sick benefit fund. The report of two directors' meetings, held on February 20 and March 3, read by Mrs. Farrell, was accepted, also the report on resolutions in regard to Miss Curry's death. On the resignation of Alice Kershaw, assistant secretary, Mrs. Edith M. Hickey was chosen to succeed her. After the business session, papers were read by the Deaconess nurses and by Alice Kershaw, visiting nurse for the Catholic Social Betterment League. All felt the earnest desire on the part of these nurses to better conditions existing in the city, showing the need of scientific instruction and nursing to show people a better way of living. Miss Loomis urged the nurses to consider forming a state committee and subcommittees for enrollment in the Red Cross. A report was submitted by the delegates to Olympia in behalf of the bill on state registration. They were able to indefinitely postpone the opposing bill. Miss Saeger was made an honorary member of the association.

**Tacoma.**—PIERCE COUNTY GRADUATE NURSES' ASSOCIATION held the regular monthly meeting on March 6, 1911, at 8 P.M., in the nurses' home of the F. C. Paddock Hospital, with fourteen members present. Minutes of last meeting read and approved. Misses Rathbone and Yuill, Tacoma school nurses, gave very interesting talks on their work in the schools, and the members are glad they are succeeding in this work. A kind letter was read from Miss Elsie Curry, sister of the late secretary, written to the association. A letter was also read from the King County Graduate Nurses' Association, expressing sympathy for the association's loss in the death of Miss Maud S. Curry. It is desired that there be ten names of nurses from the Pierce County Graduate Nurses' Association, to join the State Red Cross Association; it was moved and seconded

that ten names be sent in. Mrs. McCabe very kindly sang "My Rosary." Refreshments were served by Miss Weller of the N. P. Hospital. Adjourned to meet the first Monday in April.

#### BIRTHS

ON February 4, to Mr. and Mrs. James H. Swan, a son. Mrs. Swan was Miss Cuthbertson, class of 1901, New York Hospital.

ON March 3, to Dr. and Mrs. B. Stinson, a son. Mrs. Stinson is a graduate of the Illinois Training School, Chicago.

ON December 25, 1910, to Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McCready, a son. Mrs. McCready was Janet Robinson, class of 1901, Illinois Training School, Chicago.

ON January 2, in Indianapolis, to Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Talbott, a son, Murray Henry, Jr. Mrs. Talbott was Grace Letts, class of 1908, Methodist Episcopal Hospital, Brooklyn.

ON January 30, at Seattle, Wash., to Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Waring, a son, John Allison. Mrs. Waring was Julia Sandbery, class of 1904, Methodist Episcopal Hospital, Brooklyn.

IN September, 1910, in Wuhu, China, to Dr. and Mrs. Edgerton Hart, a daughter. Mrs. Hart was Caroline E. Maddock, class of 1904, Illinois Training School, Chicago. She has been one of the most interested contributors to the Mission Stations Department of the JOURNAL, has done pioneer work in the establishment of training school work in China, and has been one of the founders and active workers in the China Association of Nurses.

#### MARRIAGES

MISS HEWSON, graduate of Michael Reese Hospital, Chicago, to M. Hoffman.

ON January 16, at Maypen, Jamaica, W. I., Helena Earle, graduate of the New York Hospital, to Stanley Mendez, M.D.

DELIA DRAHOS, class of 1903, Illinois Training School, Chicago, to Carl Vogel, M.D. Dr. and Mrs. Vogel will live in Elroy, Wis.

ON March 1, at Norfolk, Va., Evelyn Daniel, class of 1908, Virginia Hospital, Richmond, to Charles L. Goodloe. Mr. and Mrs. Goodloe will live at Verdon, Va.

ON December 24, Irene Kunz, class of 1908, Methodist Episcopal Hospital, Brooklyn, to Thomas Stiff, Jr. Mr. and Mrs. Stiff will live at 438 Chew Street, Allentown, Pa.

ON February 22, in Talbot, Indiana, Lucy May High, class of 1909, Indianapolis City Hospital, to Albert G. Porter, M.D. Dr. and Mrs. Porter will live at 1364 Eighth Avenue, Terre Haute, Indiana.

ON February 8, at Lake Charles, Canada, Jemima Catherine Spicer, class of 1901, Illinois Training School, Chicago, to William James West. Mr. and Mrs. West will live in Hibbing, Minn.

ON January 22, at Cristobal, Canal Zone, Mabel C. Henderson, class of 1907, Allegheny General Hospital, Pittsburgh, to I. H. Fleischman, of Atlanta, Georgia. Mr. and Mrs. Fleischman will live in Culebra, Canal Zone.

AT the Church of Zion and St. Timothy, Elizabeth Barton, class of 1904, St. Luke's Hospital, New York City, to Gladstone Goode, M.D. Dr. and Mrs. Goode will live at 329 West 83d Street, New York City.

On February 25, in the Presbyterian Church, Mattituck, Long Island, Miriam Kirkup Gildersleeve, class of 1910, Methodist Episcopal Hospital, Brooklyn, to William Henry Gissell, M.D. Dr. and Mrs. Gissell will live at 1555 69th Street, Brooklyn.

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#### DEATHS

On January 9, at her home in Chillicothe, Ohio, after a long illness, Olive D. Bailey, a graduate of Grant Hospital, Columbus.

In August, 1910, at Memphis, Tennessee, Margaret Lowrie, graduate of the Columbus Training School. Miss Lowrie was a pioneer nurse of Columbus.

On November 3, 1910, at the Allegheny Hospital, Cumberland, Md., after a seven weeks' illness with typhoid fever, Marion A. Moor, R.N., class of 1905, Woman's Hospital, Philadelphia. Miss Moor was assistant superintendent of the hospital in which she passed away.

On February 25, at the George Washington Hospital, Washington, D. C., of pneumonia, Mary Seebury Hammond, class of 1890, Connecticut Training School. Miss Hammond was a loyal and devoted member of the Graduate Nurses' Association of the District of Columbia, a valued worker, and was most beloved by her many friends who were shocked at the news of her death.

On February 28, at Lebanon, Pennsylvania, Lillian G. Light, class of 1899, Philadelphia Hospital. Two weeks before her death, Miss Light was called to the home of a foreigner to care for his wife who was suffering from dementia. While in charge of the patient, Miss Light was bitten in three places. The wounds were cauterized, but a week later blood poisoning developed, and she died after days of intense suffering. Miss Light had held positions as night superintendent in hospitals in Sunbury and Tyrone, but most of her work had been in Lebanon, where she had nursed both rich and poor so faithfully that she was widely loved and honored. Some years ago, at the time of a smallpox epidemic, she volunteered for service and took charge of the Municipal Hospital, where 130 cases were under her care, all of whom recovered. Of late years she had done the work of a district nurse whenever the opportunity came to her between her private duty cases, and had been trying to interest the Woman's Club of the city to raise funds to support regular district work. The citizens of Lebanon now propose to raise a fund in her memory to carry out her wishes. Funeral services were held at her home and at the Centenary Methodist Church of which she was an active member. She was buried in her nurse's dress; among the mourners were people of every nationality, from the factories and the slums. It is said that between her injury and its fatal development she went to another patient and stayed as long as possible. At her request her books and instruments will be given to the local district nurse when such a one shall be secured.

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